

Minutes 1/5/22

Present: Nicola Blake, Ron Dagostino, Sue Hruby, Kate Warner.

*Absent: Richard Andre*

Guests: Kathy Logue, Jeffrey DuBard

1. Discussion of EV charger set up bylaw.

Don't want to over-regulate.

And yet we want to meet our 100% Renewable by 2040 goal and town has supported this goal and this helps facilitate transition.

Nicola said it saves townspeople money and that that is something we are trying to do.

Decided to seek input from Planning Board and Select Board and if no objection, put on the warrant. *(and withdraw it if discussion is not going well at town meeting.)*

2. Order of articles

Would like 100% electric first, then EV bylaw, then article to authorize Select Board to send as Home Rule petitions to Legislature.

*(pool bylaw was on this list but Planning Board asked to delay it due to more research being needed.)*

3. Discussion of Pool Bylaw

Question as to where the water comes from to fill pools.

Will discuss this bylaw at Planning Board meeting.

Can take more time on this. Our work is "a marathon, not a sprint."

4. Whether to join Energy Committee with Climate Advisory Committee

Ron hoping for more EC members so thinking this might be a good idea.

Sue mentioned that the agendas of the two groups are very different so it would be frustrating for all.

CAC had said no to joining together because of the fact that the EC does very specific projects and the CAC has a broader agenda and representation from a number of Town boards/departments.

Thought two groups should meet periodically.

Suggested a group meeting in March.

Meeting adjourned 9:15.

Next meeting is Wednesday Feb. 9, 8:30 am